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Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time pursuant to 37C.F.R. 1.136(a) in which to file a response to the outstanding Office Action dated December 3, 2004. Please charge our Deposit Account No. 501593 in the amount of \$225.00 to cover the extension fee specified in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3) for a small entity. If the preceding amount is incorrect, any deficiency or overpayment should also be charged or credited to this deposit account.

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